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The Director approved dissemination of copy of Weekly and Daily Summary, at request of ONI, for the Commandant of Marine Corps..

General Sibert with reference to the G-2 Weekly intelligence publication (SECRET) which has been furnished by OCD to the Field Offices (9 copies). OCD receives 29 copies -- balance going to OSO, ORE and Executive offices.

Discussed subject of intelligence publications for the field offices with Captain [redacted]. No CIA publication above CONFIDENTIAL will be furnished field offices; those furnished to be returned within specified time.

Captain [redacted] reference letter from [redacted] Research and Development Board, concerning personnel recruitment program for Scientific Branch. 25X1

Mr. Childs, Chief, ICAPS, concerning request by Gen. [redacted] for minutes of two meetings held during November and December. Committee had no status at the time and record of meetings is not available. Col. [redacted] also called on same subject. 25X1

Col. Galloway reference "Johnson Island".

Mr. [redacted] concerning contribution to 12th Army Group publication. (Personal).

Mr. [redacted] applicant -- retired Marine officer, former Jap prisoner; knowledge [redacted] Referred to Col. Galloway. 25X1

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Weekly Staff Conference.

Mr. Houston, General Counsel, reference immigration cases--particularly concerning Justice Department ruling to deport anyone previously engaged in Communistic activities---also concerning "defectors".

Discussed Communications Branch requirements at Fort Meade.

Admiral Olsen reference reassignment of Col. [ ] about March 16th. 25X1  
Captain [ ] was informed of conversation.

Captain [ ] reference discussion with Capt. McCollum, ORE, concerning  
Mr. [ ]--possible reassignment.

Miss [ ] applicant, presently  
working at Commerce as stenographer, formerly fiscal analyst.  
Referred by friend, [ ] office,  
Career Mgmt Branch, Army. 25X1  
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Captain [ ] and Mr. [ ] SO, called concerning a press  
report regarding commodity speculations by one [ ] State  
Department Press Section had been queried.

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Mr. Doherty, FBI, picked up information regarding material received  
by the Hoover Library.

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Checked status of application of [ ] Budget & Finance had returned application with notation that position for which she had been considered had been filled. Personnel had only considered her for "fiscal analyst". It was suggested the application be forwarded to SO because applicant expressed desire to the Deputy Director for an overseas assignment--in any capacity. 25X1

Captain [ ] concerning Executive Registry--files being maintained, etc. 25X1

ORE queried disposition of [ ] papers marked for "file" in Reference Center. ORE to retain temporarily until Reference Center facilities adequate to handle these papers. Subject discussed with Col. [ ] 25X1

Col. [ ] reference correspondence manual. 25X1

Col. [ ] concerning old SSU file on [ ] File returned to him 28 Jan via Col. Galloway. 25X1  
Other papers on subject will be returned to Central Records via I&S for information.

Mr. [ ] concerning a NEG paper to the IAC reference Establishment of a Joint Nuclear Energy Intelligence Committee. 25X1  
Also reference Advisory Council: office of record for papers from SANACC, Joint Chiefs, NSC, etc.

Dr. Arthur Turner, Chief, Medical Intelligence Branch, Surgeon General's Office, with reference to our program on [ ] Queried Col. Babbitt, ORE, concerning inclusion of medical intelligence in [ ] 25X1

Attended briefing by SO Branch Chief, Mr. [ ], on Southeastern Europe. 25X1

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Col. [ ] was requested to submit list of all travel requests out of Washington during month of January--to reflect individual, office, destination and purpose.

General Sibert queried date of arrival of Investigation Board as mentioned at Staff Conference 27 January.  
Reference alien interrogation activities; safehaven, etc.

Col. [ ] reported on discussion with [ ] and personnel recruitment for the Nuclear Energy Group.

Dr. [ ] Chief, Medical Intelligence Br, SG, invited Deputy Director to inspect his office and observe their various projects, etc.

Dr. [ ] (formerly OSS) applicant.  
Interested in psychological warfare activities.

Col. [ ] G-2, reference availability of [ ] "Report" about which the Deputy Director had inquired recently. General Chamberlin stated he would ask Col. Clarke to seek permission from Secretary Royall to make the report available to DCI.

Col. Galloway.

Mr. [ ] reference paper on Enemy Document Repositories.

[ ] reference communication problems. Referred for further discussion to Capt. [ ] (called on the Director). Captain [ ] reported on their discussion.

Col. [ ] advised that the Reference Center would be equipped to handle [ ] papers about the second week of February. Files to be restricted to CIA only and restricted within CIA to ORE and OSO with Asst. Director's approving individuals having access to the files.

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Mr. [ ] reference signature on vouchers for Dr. [ ]  
consultant (3 days).

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Captain [ ] eference space problem; reported on Director's conversation  
with Secretary Forrestal on subject.

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[redacted] to confirm appointment of Maj. Gen.  
[redacted] as Director of Military Intelligence, vice Gen.  
[redacted] relieved.

Mr. Robert Blum, Office of SecDefense, for appointment Monday, 2 February.

Mr. J. C. Austin, United Press, inquired if there would be anything in the way of news emanating from CIA; it was suggested he call on the Deputy Director upon his return to the city after 6 February.

Mr. [redacted] Special Funds, reference budget for psychological warfare.

Col. Babbitt reference arrangements for Reference Center to handle the  
[redacted]

Attended SO briefing by Middle East Branch Chief, [redacted]

Dental appointment.

Mr. [redacted] DCD, reference package secured in [redacted] for the Deputy Director.

Congressman Mundt queried if we had any objections to [redacted]  
instituting suit against [redacted] as result of articles appearing in  
French press. The Deputy Director stated we had no objection.

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Col. Galloway reference preparation of National Intelligence Surveys; recommended that SO be responsible for preparation of chapters on the foreign intelligence services, secret police, etc. Memo concurred in and forwarded to Director for approval.

General Sibert concerning lease of office space for the [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Discussed subject with Captain [REDACTED] and  
Col. [REDACTED] and later advised Gen. Sibert that we cannot enter  
into a 3-year lease; that no expansion of this unit is anticipated  
for at least six months.

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Captain [REDACTED] reference call from Congressman Wigglesworth concerning  
reassignment of [REDACTED] The Congressman had called [REDACTED]  
in Personnel on this subject.

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Col. [REDACTED] 3d Armored Division, Fort Knox, Ky - personal.

General Sibert urged reconsideration of promotion of [REDACTED]  
and Lyman B. Kirkpatrick. Personnel files on above individuals  
requested.

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Deputy Director mentioned that OO had been asked to [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Professor of Economics, presently with [REDACTED]  
at the request of ORE.

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Lunched at Army-Navy Club with Col. [REDACTED]

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Staff Conference.

Checked on status of application of  application being 25X1  
shopped in SO.

Col. Walker, War Department Legislative Liaison Branch, concerning  
request from Congressman Donahue of Massachusetts for information  
of CIA organization, functions, etc., for a constituent. Referred  
to Mr. Pforzheimer.

Conference with Mr. Bernard Baruch, Sr. and Comdr. Bernard Baruch, Jr.  
on CIA organization.

Admiral Olsen, OCD, and Mr.  ORE, reference "eyes only" sheet 25X1  
in connection with Daily Summary. Deputy Director stated this  
subject would be discussed with members of NSC by the Director.

Mr.  Security Office.

Project Review Committee meeting - SO - funds for psychological operations.

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General Sibert reference personnel problem; lack of translators; field offices not fully equipped to operate efficiently; etc.

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[redacted] applicant - [redacted]  
[redacted] formerly with OSS, OWI.  
Personnel files, I&S file and OSS file checked.

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Colonel Galloway reference State Department designation for [redacted]  
Deputy Director queried Mr. Hulten, Deputy to Mr. Peurifoy, State, concerning this matter.

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General Sibert concerning [redacted] NYC, repeated  
contacts with [redacted] claiming Director promised her employment  
in that office. (Reported to be relative of [redacted] extensive  
police record, etc.)

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Col. [redacted] reference Col. [redacted] -- had been placed on next War College  
list; if accepted, could he be retained on duty another six months.  
Deputy Director indicated this would be satisfactory.

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General Sibert concerning reorganization proposed for Contact Branch.

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25X1 Col. [ ] reference efficiency reports -- Army Regulations prohibit preparation by civilians; therefore [ ] will have work sheets prepared by the appropriate supervisors and then forwarded to General Wright for rating as he deems fit. This to apply to Army and Air Force officers. Similar arrangements will be made for handling Navy efficiency reports - except that the Admiral will rate the reports. 25X1

Col. Galloway reference report on Russian deserters.  
Reference report of meeting between Mr. [ ] and Mr. Kennan's staff, State, on interrogation of Soviet refugees. 25X1  
Reference availability of cable book to OSO. Deputy Director will determine procedure for expeditious handling. 25X1  
Reference discussion of [ ]

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Personnel Division reported on status of application of [ ]

General Sibert concerning desirability of replacing Chief, Contact Branch.

Dental Clinic.

Finance Office -- reference credit for national guard service.

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25X1 Called [ ] Northern Branch, ORE, concerning  
25X1 Mr. [ ] letter; Deputy Director will stop in to chat with her  
one day soon. Rm. 2544 M Bldg. [ ] Chief.) 25X1

25X1 Mr. [ ] ORE, reference cable book furnished Director -- stated the  
delay in OO had been eliminated.

25X1 Captain [ ] and Col. [ ] reference General Sibert's recommendation  
25X1 that Mr. Kirkpatrick replace Mr. [ ] Chief, Contact Branch. 25X1  
25X1 Captain [ ] also mentioned his discussion with General Sibert  
concerning personnel and administrative problems which should clear  
thru the Executive Director prior to discussion with the Director.

Admiral Olsen delivered suggested memo to NSC concerning the format and  
dissemination of the CIA Daily Summary with particular reference to  
an "eyes only" edition.

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25X1 Col. Galloway and Mr [ ] concerning call on Director by Col. [ ]  
25X1 [ ] today reference situation in Istanbul. Also discussed  
25X1 subject with Mr. [ ] Advisory Council. - Memo for Record attached.

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25X1 Captain [ ] concerning his recommendation that Capt. [ ]  
presently assigned to Advisory Council, be considered as nominee  
for Chief, Contact Branch.

General Sibert later queried the Deputy Director concerning  
background and qualifications of Capt. [ ]

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25X1 Congressman Hale Boggs of Louisiana called on the Deputy Director in  
connection with the application of [ ]  
Deputy Director checked status of application with Personnel Div  
and also talked with Deputy Chief, Field Offices, OO in connection  
with the application. Subject is being considered for employment  
[ ] pending security clearance. 25X1

Congressman Boggs had been associated closely with subject applicant  
in Navy.

Deputy Director introduced the Congressman to the Director.

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